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- (X) Drawings in 28 sheets.
- (X) Declaration by Inventors in 2 pages.

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- (X) Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 in 4 total pages (IDS and 1449).
- (X) Copies of 51 References.
- (X) Petition to Make Special for New Application in 7 pages.
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Basic Utility		1001 (\$750)		\$750
Non-English Spec.		1053 (\$130)		\$
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Excess Claims > 20	26 - 20 =	1202 (\$18)	6 x 18 =	\$108
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Multiple Claim		1203 (\$280)		\$
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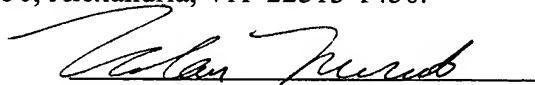
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